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UTILITY PATENT (REISSUE CONTINUATION)  
APPLICATION AND FEE  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing.)
2. ☒ Specification Total Pages   
- Cover Page  
- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross References to Related Applications  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets
4. ☒ Copies of Original Declaration and three Supplemental Reissue Declarations   
a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)  
b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
(Note Box 5 below)  
c. ☒ Declaration of William C. Athas (Rule 132) dated January 9, 2001 with three Exhibits  
i. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☒ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked).  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  
a. ☐ Computer readable copy  
b. ☐ Paper copy (identical to computer copy)  
c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies
8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)
9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
10. ☒ Copy of Revocation and Substitute Power of Attorney (dated 10/12/99)
11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of IDS Citation
12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☐ Small Entity ☐ Statement filed in prior appln.  
Statement(s) Status still proper and desired.
15. ☒ Request for Waiver
16. ☒ Associate Power of Attorney

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information

☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior pending reissue application Serial No. : 08/986,327, filed December 5, 1997

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Please enter the attached Preliminary Amendment and calculate the fees as follows:

### FEE CALCULATION

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	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	80 - 20	60 X	\$ 18.00	1080.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	24 - 3	21 X	\$ 80.00	1680.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			\$270.000	
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 710.00
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 3470.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)				
				TOTAL =	\$ 3470.00

6. ☒ Small Entity Status
- a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. ☒ Is no longer claimed.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 16-2230:
- a. ☒ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
- b. ☒ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.17.
- c. ☐ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.18.
8. ☒ A check in the amount of \$3470.00 to cover filing fee is enclosed.
9. ☒ A check in the amount of \$40.00 is enclosed for recording assignment.

Issuance of the official Filing Receipt at an early date is in order and is respectfully requested.

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In Re Application Of:**

Lars G. Svensson, et al.

**Serial Number:**

**Filing Date:** Herewith

**Entitled:** SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
POWER-EFFICIENT CHARGING AND  
DISCHARGING OF A CAPACITIVE LOAD  
FROM A SINGLE SOURCE

Group Art Unit:

**REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF NEW RULES**

Sir:

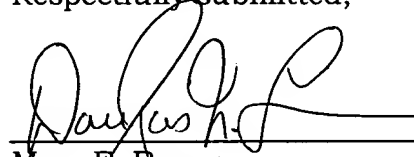
The above-captioned reissue application is a continuation of a reissue application filed before the effective date of the PBG-Final Rule. The subject continuation application is being filed as a photocopy of the parent application and thus does not fully follow the PBG-Final Rule for new reissue applications. For example, it is in single and not double column format. Accordingly, it is requested that the new rules be waived to the extent needed so that the subject continuation application will be fully accepted.

Counsel for Applicant conducted a telephone interview with PTO Official Bob Spar on December 28, 1999, and discussed the subject filing. And Mr. Spar recommended that the subject Request be filed.

If any fees are due with this Request, please charge them to Deposit Account 16-2230. Additionally, if this Request needs to be treated as a Petition, please convert it to a Petition.

Accordingly, early grant of this Request is in order and is respectfully requested.

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Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR POWER-EFFICIENT CHARGING AND  
DISCHARGING OF A CAPACITIVE LOAD FROM A SINGLE SOURCE

Application for Reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,473,526  
Issued : December 5, 1995

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF DRAWINGS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.174 and MPEP 1413, Applicants,  
by their undersigned attorney requests the transfer of the patent  
drawings from the original patent file to the reissue  
application.

The accompanying reissue application makes no  
alteration whatsoever to the drawings, does not cancel an entire  
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